

# MATERIAL SAFETY DATA SHEET

PRODUCT NAME: Grout Colorant  
PRODUCT CODE: GRTCLR

HMIS CODES: H F R P  
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## SECTION I - MANUFACTURER IDENTIFICATION

MANUFACTURER'S NAME: Custom Building Products, Inc.  
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## SECTION II - HAZARDOUS INGREDIENTS/SARA III INFORMATION

HAZARDOUS COMPONENTS	CAS NUMBER	OCCUPATIONAL EXPOSURE LIMITS		VAPOR PRESSURE		Wt. %
		OSHA PEL	ACGIH TLV	mm Hg	@ Temp.	
ALIPHATIC HYDROCARBON	34590-94-8	150 ppm	100 ppm	0.6	68F	1.4
ETHYLENE GLYCOL	107-21-1	50 ppm		0.1	68F	1.4
DIBUTYL PHTHALATE	84-72-2	5mg/m3	5mg/m3	2.0	302F	1.6

\*\*\* No toxic chemical(s) subject to the reporting requirements of section 313 of Title III and of 40 CFR 372 are present. \*\*\*

## SECTION III - PHYSICAL/CHEMICAL CHARACTERISTICS

BOILING POINT: 212F SPECIFIC GRAVITY (H2O=1): 1.0  
VAPOR DENSITY: N/A EVAPORATION RATE: SLOWER THAN ETHER  
SOLUBILITY IN WATER: COMPLETELY SOLUBLE IN LIQUID FORM.  
APPEARANCE AND ODOR: COLORED LIQUID, SLIGHT ACRYLIC ODOR

## SECTION IV - FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARD DATA

FLASH POINT: N/A METHOD USED: NA  
FLAMMABLE LIMITS IN AIR BY VOLUME- LOWER: N/A UPPER: N/A  
EXTINGUISHING MEDIA: N/A

SPECIAL FIREFIGHTING PROCEDURES  
CLOSED CONTAINERS MAY RUPTURE IF EXPOSED TO EXTREME TEMPERATURES.  
WEAR SELF-CONTAINED BREATHING APPARATUS AND FULL PROTECTIVE GEAR.

UNUSUAL FIRE AND EXPLOSION HAZARDS  
CONTAINERS MAY RUPTURE IF EXPOSED TO EXTREME TEMPERATURES.  
MATERIAL MAY SPLATTER ABOVE 212 F.  
DRIED FILM WILL BURN.

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## SECTION V - REACTIVITY DATA

STABILITY: STABLE  
CONDITIONS TO AVOID: EXTREME TEMPERATURES

INCOMPATIBILITY (MATERIALS TO AVOID):  
AVOID CONTACT WITH STRONG OXIDIZING MATERIALS.

HAZARDOUS DECOMPOSITION OR BYPRODUCTS:  
THERMAL DECOMPOSITION IN THE PRESENCE OF AIR MAY YIELD CARBON MONOXIDE AND/OR CARBON DIOXIDE.

HAZARDOUS POLYMERIZATION: WILL NOT OCCUR

===== SECTION VI - HEALTH HAZARD DATA =====

INHALATION HEALTH RISKS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE  
INHALATION: VAPOR OR MIST CAN CAUSE HEADACHE, NAUSEA, AND IRRITATION OF THE NOSE, THROAT, AND LUNGS.

SKIN AND EYE CONTACT HEALTH RISKS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:  
SKIN CONTACT: IRRITATING TO SKIN UPON REPEATED OR PROLONGED CONTACT.  
EYE CONTACT: MAY CAUSE SLIGHT TRANSIENT (TEMPORARY) EYE IRRITATION.  
CORNEAL INJURY IS UNLIKELY.  
SKIN ABSORPTION HEALTH RISKS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:  
REPEATED SKIN EXPOSURE TO LARGE QUANTITIES MAY RESULT IN ABSORPTION OF HARMFUL AMOUNTS. THE DERMAL LD50 HAS NOT BEEN DETERMINED.

INGESTION HEALTH RISKS AND SYMPTOMS OF EXPOSURE:  
THE ORAL LD50 OF ETHYLENE GLYCOL FOR RATS IS IN THE 6000-13000 MG/KG RANGE.  
AMOUNTS INGESTED INCIDENTAL TO INDUSTRIAL HANDLING ARE NOT LIKELY TO CAUSE INJURY; HOWEVER, INGESTION OF LARGER AMOUNTS COULD CAUSE SERIOUS INJURY, EVEN DEATH.

HEALTH HAZARDS (ACUTE AND CHRONIC)  
ACUTE: PRE-EXISTING SKIN, EYE, AND RESPIRATORY CONDITIONS MAY BE AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE TO ETHYLENE GLYCOL.  
CHRONIC: EXCESSIVE EXPOSURE MAY CAUSE CENTRAL NERVOUS SYSTEM, KIDNEY, BLOOD AND POSSIBLE LIVER EFFECTS.

CARCINOGENICITY: NTP? NO IARC MONOGRAPHS? NO OSHA REGULATED? YES  
NOT LISTED AS A CARCINOGEN.

MEDICAL CONDITIONS GENERALLY AGGRAVATED BY EXPOSURE:

EMERGENCY AND FIRST AID PROCEDURES

EYE CONTACT: IMMEDIATELY FLUSH WITH WATER FOR 15 MINUTES. SEE PHYSICIAN IF IRRITATION PERSISTS.  
SKIN CONTACT: WASH WITH WATER. SEEK MEDICAL ATTENTION IF IRRITATION PERSISTS.  
INHALED: IF AFFECTED, REMOVE TO FRESH AIR.  
INGESTION: IF SWALLOWED, IMMEDIATELY INDUCE VOMITING BY GIVING TWO GLASSES OF WATER AND STICKING FINGER DOWN THROAT. CALL A PHYSICIAN. (NEVER GIVE ANYTHING BY MOUTH OR ATTEMPT TO INDUCE VOMITING IN AN UNCONSCIOUS PERSON) CALL A PHYSICIAN.

===== SECTION VII - PRECAUTIONS FOR SAFE HANDLING AND USE =====

STEPS TO BE TAKEN IN CASE MATERIAL IS RELEASED OR SPILLED:

AVOID ENTRY INTO SEWERS OR NATURAL WATER WAYS.

SMALL SPILLS: SOAK UP WITH ABSORBANT MATERIAL.

LARGER SPILLS: DIKE AND PUMP INTO SUITABLE CONTAINERS FOR DISPOSAL.

WASTE DISPOSAL METHOD:

DISPOSE OF PRODUCT IN ACCORDANCE WITH APPLICABLE LOCAL, COUNTY, STATE, AND  
FEDERAL REGULATIONS.

PRECAUTIONS TO BE TAKEN IN HANDLING AND STORING:

STORE IN COOL DRY AREA OUT OF SUNLIGHT. STORE AWAY FROM HEAT OR ANY HEAT  
SOURCES. PROTECT FROM FREEZING.

OTHER PRECAUTIONS:

NONE

===== SECTION VIII - CONTROL MEASURES =====

RESPIRATORY PROTECTION:

IF EXPOSURE MAY EXCEED TLV RANGE, USE A NIOSH APPROVED RESPIRATOR TO PREVENT  
OVEREXPOSURE.

VENTILATION:

GENERAL MECHANICAL VENTILATION MAY BE SUFFICIENT TO KEEP VAPOR CONCENTRATIONS  
WITHIN SPECIFIED TLV RANGES.

PROTECTIVE GLOVES:

THE USE OF PLASTIC OR RUBBER GLOVES IS ADVISED TO PREVENT SKIN IRRITATION TO  
SENSITIVE INDIVIDUALS.

EYE PROTECTION:

SAFETY GLASSES ARE RECOMMENDED TO SAFEGUARD AGAINST POTENTIAL CONTACT.

OTHER PROTECTIVE CLOTHING OR EQUIPMENT:

ADEQUATE CLOTHING SHOULD BE WORN TO PREVENT SKIN CONTACT.

WORK/HYGIENIC PRACTICES:

GOOD HOUSEKEEPING PRACTICES SHOULD BE OBSERVED.

===== SECTION IX - DISCLAIMER =====

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